WORKSHOP MINUTES SEMINOLE CITY COUNCIL September 18, 2018

The Workshop of the Seminole City Council was held on Tuesday, September 18, 2018, in City Hall, City Council Chambers, 9199 - 113th Street North, Seminole, Florida.

Mayor Waters called the workshop to order at 5:30 p.m.

PRESENT:

Mayor Leslie Waters, Vice Mayor Roger Edelman, Councilor Thom Barnhorn, Councilor Chris Burke, Councilor Bob Matthews, Councilor Jim Quinn, Councilor Trish Springer, City Manager Ann Toney-Deal, Attorney Patrick Perez, and City Clerk Patty Beliveau.

TAMPA BAY REGIONAL RESILIENCY COALITION MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council Member Barbara Sheen Todd asked that City Council support the Tampa Bay Regional Resiliency Coalition Memorandum of Understanding. The Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) shows that local municipalities, Counties in the Tampa Bay area and the Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council are embarking upon an initiative to address sea level rise and climate resiliency issues which is affecting the communities economically and environmentally.

The Mayor and City Councilors expressed their concerns about the possibility of a financial cost to the City, the need to include Red Tide and sewage dumping to the MOU, and removal of sealevel rising.

Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council Executive Director Sean Sullivan stated that there will be no financial commitment at this time for any municipality, and the MOU will evolve as items are identified. Red Tide was not prevalent when the initiative began in January 2018, however, they will consider including Red Tide to the MOU. Mr. Sullivan stated that the Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council has applied for Grant funds to assist with its cause.

It was Council consensus to forward the Tampa Bay Regional Resiliency Coalition Memorandum of Understanding for discussion at the regular September 18, 2018, City Council Meeting.

Mayor Waters adjourned the workshop at 5:59 p.m.

Date Approved October 9, 2018

Minutes prepared by City Clerk

Patricia Beliveau

Leslie Waters, Mayor